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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION
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Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of Application No. 09/869,205, filed September 17, 2001 for: MODEL AND METHOD FOR USING AN INTERACTIVE RATIONAL AGENT, MULTIAGENT SERVER AND SYSTEM IMPLEMENTING SAME, by: David Sadek, Philippe Bretier, and Franck Panaget.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

a. ☒ Previously submitted

☒ Please enter in the present application the unentered Amendment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, with any attachments, filed on June 30, 2006 in said prior application.

☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or reply Brief previously filed on _____

☐ Other _____

b. ☐ Enclosed

☐ A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed. Claims added by this Amendment are properly numbered consecutively beginning with the number next following the highest numbered claim in the prior application.

☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)

☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)

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2. ☒ The filing fee is calculated below:

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☐ First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim [MDC]

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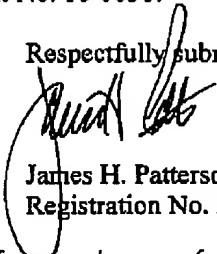
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Respectfully submitted,


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